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Detachment, Headquarters and Headquarters Detachment, 151st Support Group

Announcement is made of the following award:

Award: Meritorious Unit Commendation

Period of service: 29 May 2007 to 18 April 2008

Authority: AR 600-8-22, paragraph 7-15

Reason: For exceptionally meritorious service. During the period of 29 May 2007 to 18 April 2008, Detachment, Headquarters and Headquarters Detachment, 151st Support Group displayed exceptionally meritorious service in support of Operation Iragi Freedom. The unit provided outstanding base defense command to Victory Base Complex, part of the Multi-National Division-Baghdad operational environment. In doing so, the unit effectively protected over 50,000 Soldiers and civilians and 20 square miles of encampment, while overcoming numerous enemy rocket and mortar attacks, and without suffering reductions in efficiency or mission Through their initiative, resourcefulness, output. dedication, the unit's men and women contributed immeasurably to the United States' mission in Iraq. Detachment, Headquarters and Headquarters Detachment, 151st Support Group's outstanding performance of duty is in keeping with the finest traditions of military service and reflects distinct credit upon the unit and the United States Army.

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Chief, Military Awards Branch